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Orange Boosters Call Meeting of Directors

President A. R. Evans of the Covina-California Orange Boosters has called an important meeting of the board of advisors, to take place in the offices of the organization in the rooms of the gas company on Citrus avenue, next Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock, May 7.

The reason for calling this meeting at this time is said to be that the organization wishes to arrange for a general meeting of all ranchers and citizens in the valley, which will be held in the high school auditorium on a date set by the board of advisors. The officers of the Boosters have secured the promise of the presence of prominent men in the citrus industry, who will speak on this occasion.

Dr. D. F. Stafford, vice-president of the organization, and Secretary F. R. Greenleaf, were in Whittier last Saturday, where they assisted in the preliminery organization of a similar booster unit. Secretary Milo Hunt of the Whittier Board of Trade is taking an active interest in the matter. H. A. Miller, secretary of the Irwindale Citrus Association, was also a member of the Covina party, and made an address on the possibilities to be found in the by-product business. Already an organization has been formed in San Bernardino, and that unit is also arranging for organizations in Riverside, Redlands, Rialto, and Highlands. Mr. Greenleaf said this week that another unit would be started in Placentia during the coming week. The organization formed in Monrovia is progressing finely. Many of these boosters from out of town will be present at a general meeting to be held in Covina.

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Death, under peculiarly sad circumstances occurred last Saturday, when Fred J. Gantenbein, well known in the valley, succombed to a cancerous growth, with which he had been sick for about a year. Death occurred at his home, near the corner of Ben Lomond and Bonita avenues.

The funeral was held on Tuesday of this week, conducted by the Presbyterian minister of Azusa, and a quartet from that church sang appropriate hymns. The interment was in Oakdale.

Mr. Gantenbein left a wife and a young baby, eight months old. He had lived in the valley since boyhood, and had been educated in the local schools. Since coming to manhood he had been engaged in ranching and was the proprietor of a fumigating outfit. Deceased was born in Kansas and was 26 years old.

Besides being a member of the Azusa Presbyterian church, he was also a prominent member of the Azusa Woodmen of the World. A large amount of floral offerings were brought to the funeral as a tribute to the young man's popularity, and to the fact that he had made a host of friends during his life here. His wife was formerly Miss Gertrude Casey, well known here, and a niece of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Casey of Covina.

LA PALOMA CHAPTER GIVES SUCCESSFUL DANCING PARTY

The dance at the Woman's Club House last Friday evening, given by the local chapter of the Eastern Star, was very well attended and quite a sum of money made, which is to be spent in refurnishing the lodge rooms. The club house was beautifully decorated with ropes of smilax and ferns and pepper boughs and bunches of roses, the work being done by a committee composed of Mrs. P. L. Nash, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Bryan, Mrs. A. W. Feist, Miss Vic Reynolds, and Mr. Jackson. The floor committee was composed of C. D. Griffiths, Marion Coltrin, W. C. Merwin, C. R. Martin, C. H. Wedgwood and William Hoogendyk. Very excellent music was rendered by the Schoneman-Blanchard trio from Los Angeles. The card tables were under the supervision of Mrs. J. A. Peters, and the tables were all occupied during the evening by those who did not care to dance. Prizes were won by Mrs. John H. Coolman and Mrs. B. M. Given, ladies first and second, respectively, and J. H. Coolman and Mr. Calvert of Azusa, gentlemen's first and second.

CLUB WOMEN HEAR LECTURE ON FACTORY CONDITIONS

Through a mistake, the report of last week's meeting of the local woman's club was not given, and it was far too valuable to be slighted. It was the last of Mrs. R. W. Groom's Political Science afternoons for the year, and she was most fortunate in securing as her speaker for the day, Rev. George F. Kenngott of Los Angeles, whose topic was, "The Modern Pilgrim, or Immigration." Mr. Kenngott, who for years was a social worker and investigator in the great manufacturing city of Lowell, Mass., told in a clear, most interesting fashion, the story of immigration as developed in the scientific survey of Lowell, from the day before the establishment of the immense cotton mills, through the various phases of small mills, with wholly American help, cared for paternally by the mill owners, in well conducted boarding houses owned by the company, down to the late years, when the Irish have been surplanted by the thousands of immigrants from southern Europe. His fascinating, yet almost alarming story, viewed in the light of possibilities for Southern California in the next few years, was intensified by the personal sketch of one Syrian woman, who was a natural leader among her people.

Underneath the mass of facts and scientific social deductions, ran a quiet vein of New England humor, greatly appreciated by the audience, which was composed not only of club members, but the local W.C.T.U. an club women from Glendora, Azusa and San Dimas.

The music of the afternoon was one of the very especial treats of the entire club year, Miss Anna Zacsek, the pianist, although but a slip of a girl, possessed the truly Hungarian musical temperament, and gave her selections with a personal and intense interpretation, which was most unusual. [illegible] showed every variation of feeling and sentiment. Her selections were: "Alice, Where Art Thou," with variations, and Lizts' Sixth Rhapsodie, the latter a wonderful Hungarian composition, which was immensely enjoyed.

Venerable Pioneer Celebrates Birthday

G. W. Lee of Cienega Avenue, One of First Settlers of Valley, Holds Homecoming.

Proud of his 87 years completed April 30, 1914, and of the dainty grandchild who has come to bless his last years, Mr. George W. Lee celebrated his birthday this year with a family gathering of fourteen persons at his home on the boulevard. The oldest son, Gifford, is in Oregon, but the other three surviving children were present. Helen, the only daughter, with her husband, B. T. Viall, late of Arizona, now of Los Angeles; Herman B. Lee, also of Los Angeles, with wife and infant daughter; Mary Virginia, and Joseph and Katherine Wilcox, children of Mrs. Lee's by a former marriage, and William A. Lee of Covina; Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Warner and children, Donald and Dorothy, completed the company.

Mrs. Lee entertained with a bounteous linner and all were entertained with music and reminiscences. The young men discussed opportunities and prospects, particularly in Imperial valley now so prominent.

The boys rambled over the place, the little girls about the house and grounds, and all enjoyed the baby, who posed for her first picture in grandpa's arms, and again with mother and grandmother, while Mrs. Viall took group pictures of the others present, so ending a happy day with best wishes for many happy returns.

NOTICE TO MEMBERS OF COVINA-CAL. ORANGE BOOSTERS

There are about forty members who signed up on our membership list who have not been seen for the purpose of collecting the dues. If these gentlemen will pay the money to Max Leonhardt at the First National bank, or to F. R. Greenleaf at his office in the gas company rooms, it will save bookkeeping and a personal call. Incidentally, we may say that the dues are coming in in fine shape, and that we have a big and ever-growing membership.

F. R. GREENLEAF, Secretary.

KLEINMEYER GRAND LARCENY HEARING OCCUPIES TWO DAYS---NOT FINISHED

E. F. Kleinmeyer, owner of the 1440-acre hill ranch southeast of Covina, and one of the largest owners of ranch real estate in Southern California, was before the court of Justice of the Peace H. N. Wells of Covina township on Thursday and yesterday, charged with grand larceny.

The charge was brought through the office of the district attorney, with Walter G. McCarthy of Los Angeles as complaining witness.

The case grows out of the loss of a blooded Percheron mare from the Chaffee pasture, adjacent to the Kleinmeyer property.. A mare which was one of thirteen animals purchased by the Walter G. McCarthy Company of Kleinmeyer.

The allegation was made that the mare was taken out of the Chaffee pasture, and was afterwards found in the Kleinmeyer pasture, after it had been sold and delivered to McCarthy. Kleinmeyer is charged in the complaint with stealing this mare.

A cloud of witnesses were summoned on the case, among which are many local ranchers, horsemen, and veterinary surgeons in the valley The value of the mare is set at $800.

The examination was held in Masonic hall, and yesterday 250 citizens were absorbed in listening to the testimony. At adjournment last night, the case was still in progress, and will be continued today.

The defense is being conducted by Attorneys Gall & Pence of Covina, with whom is associated Attorneys Earl Rogers and W. H. Dehm of Los Angeles.

Kleinmeyer was represented by Attorney Earl Rogers, a Los Angeles attorney who has been connected [illegible] ing that on the trial of the McNamaras for the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times building. With him from the same law office was his associate, W. H. Dehm, and working with him on the case were Attorneys F. W. Gail and Andrew M. Pence of Covina. The district attorney's office was represented in the prosecution by Deputy District Attorney J. W. Bell.

BOY BELIEVES IN HIGHER COURT

The first witness sworn was little seven-years-old Theodore Kleinmeyer, son of the defendant, who said that his mother was dead, and that he lived on the ranch with his father. When Justice Wells asked the boy if he knew the nature of an oath, the lad was puzzled for a moment, but when the judge asked him if he knew what happened to boys that did not tell the truth, the lad said:

"Yes, sir; boys that do not tell the truth cannot go to Heaven."

The lad said under the questioning of Attorney Bell that he knew of a mare by the name of "Blacklady," and said that it was now in Keefer's stable, where it was being kept by the sheriff. He said he knew Walter G. McCarthy, the complaining witness in the case, and that he saw him at his father's (Kleinmeyer's) place on a Saturday in April. On being cross-examined by Attorney Rogers, the boy said that McCarthy bought seventeen horses of his father, consisting of mares, colts and one stallion. When aked if he knew a mare that was badly lame, a black mare that had a colt born to her, the boy said that he did, and that he and his father went into the pasture and chased two mules away from her at the time the mare was very heavy in foal. The color of the colt with the lame mare in the pasture was coal black, he said, while the one with the mare at Keefer's stable was of a mouse color.

THE COMPLAINING WITNESS.

Walter G. McCarthy was next called, stating that he was a real estate man, residing at 2648 Raymond avenue, Los Angeles. He showed by a bill of sale produced in court that he purchased on April 3, 1914, a black mare of E. F. Kleinmeyer, this mare being among others purchased and enumerated in the bill of sale. This mare was known as "Blacklady." He purchased thirteen head of horses of Kleinmeyer at this time. They were in Kleinmeyer's pasture, and were delivered to the witness on April 4, McCarthy testified that he had the horses transferred to the Chaffee pasture, across the road from the Kleinmeyer pasture. The transfer was made by Mr. Zimmer, foreman of the Chaffee ranch, assisted by Mr. Zimmer's son, and his hired man.

McCarthy said that he made an examination of the stock as it was taken from the pasture. When asked if he afterwards missed an animal from the number, he replied in the affirmative, stating that it was on April 11. McCarthy testified that he found the missing animal in Kleinmeyer's pasture. The value of the animal was $800, stated the witness. The witness has never authorized anyone to take the animal from the Chaffee pasture. After finding the animal he took it to the Chaffee ranch house and left it in the corral. Witness said that he made an examination of the fences and found one place where the wires had been removed, hammer marks freshly showing on the fence posts, and wires also covered with fresh dirt. The condition of the weeds and grass at this particular point was trodden, and showed the footprints of a horse. The footprints led from the Chaffee ranch pasture through the grass. He made these observations the same day that he saw the missing animal in Kleinmeyer's pasture. Witnesses testified that he rode along the road and found no break in Kleinmeyer's fence.

The gate was fastened with a padlock, and could be said to be in perfect working order—could be opened or closed.

On cross-examination by Attorney Rogers, witness said that the missing mare was suckling a colt, which had evidently been born three or four days. In describing the mare that he had bought and which was missing, McCarthy said that it had a fairly heavy mane which fell on both sides [illegible] Attorney Rogers asked for the photograph and the negative. A long tilt occurred between counsel before the photograph was finally introduced as evidence. The photograph, he said, was taken in Kleinmeyer's yard, along with other photographs. The horse had a bad wire cut on the right front foot and a small one on the left front foot. There was a small lump on the right side of the mare's face.

IN THE AFTERNOON.

At the opening of the afternoon session it developed that Attorney Rogers was exercised over the alleged fact that witnesses had been talking together about the case during the noon hour. All witnesses had previously been enjoined by the court to refrain from discussing the case, and had been placed in the custody of City Marshal F. J. Crozier. The result of the controversy was that the witnesses were all called into the court room again and further enjoined to refrain from discussing the case.

McCarthy on resuming testimony, said that when he went to get the mare out of Kleinmeyer's pasture, he (McCarthy) was accompanied by Mr. Zimmer, Mr. Gant, McCarthy's father and brother. Mr. Gant caught the mare. Witness said he was introduced to Mr. Gant by Constable Saunders, who told him that Gant might be able to recognize the mare, as he (Gant) had worked for Kleinmeyer, and had taken a number of horses for Kleinmeyer to the Sacramento state fair, among which it was alleged was the mare in question. That night, after the missing mare had been taken out of Kleinmeyer's pasture, Gant was paid $25 as a reward, by McCarthy's father, this being the amount offered for the return of the mare. On order of the constable the fence had been cut and the mare taken out.

Attorney Gail asked the witness if, when he went out with Gant, he (McCarthy) went in search of a blue-ribbon mare, so-called. The attorney asked him if he chose Mr. Gant because he (McCarthy) had been told that Gant had been to Sacramento with horses and knew the mare in question. Witness said that Constable Saunders had introduced him to Gant, and that Saunders asked Gant to help the witness find the missing mare.

FOREMAN TESTIFIES.

A. C. Zimmer, foreman of the Chaffee ranch, testified that he had been foreman of the ranch since October 15 of last year. He said that in April he drove fifteen head of stock into a corral on the Chaffee ranch at the in-

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All votes will be deposited in the voting box at this office.

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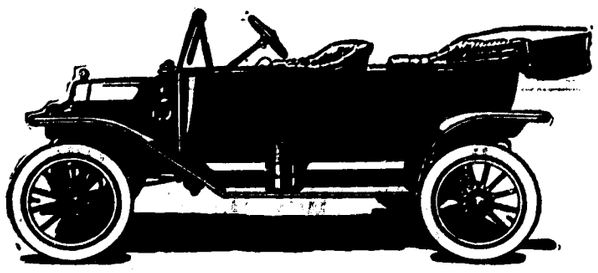

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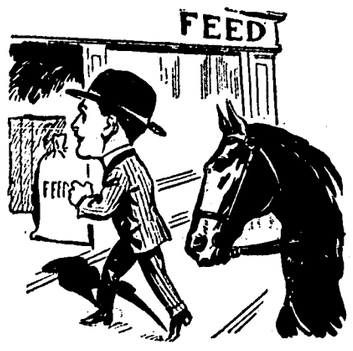

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While the game put up against Bonita High by the Covina baseball team was a great deal better than the one against El Monte two weeks ago, there is still room for improvement. The number of errors made by the local high school boys dwindled from 17 to 9, but with Bonita playing flawless ball, nine errors were enough to put the game on ice. Smith, who started heaving for Covina, showed the effects of the long rest he has had, while suffering from blood poisoning. Five runs were made by Bonita in the first before Smith retired. King celebrated his appearance in the box with a wild pitch which scored another for Bonita. Bonita scored again in the fourth on McDonald's double, a steal and Dalin's wild peg, one in the sixth on errors by Edmundson and Jackley, and a final one in the eighth, on Whitted's double and a wild pitch.

IT WAS A LUCKY FIFTH.

Covina's four all came in the fifth, in which inning Captain Morris sailed the ball clear over the barn in center field for a home run. This is the second time this feat has been accomplished. Two years ago Bill Wilson preformed the same stunt against Pomona. Just before Morris's homer, "Squat" Harris almost killed himself running from second to the plate on a single by King. King and Jackley scored ahead of Morris after his long hit. After Morris scored, is was necessary to delay the game to give the fielder who chased the ball a chance to rest, as he said he ran all the way to where it was and all the way back. King pitched a fine game, striking out 10 and allowing only five hits in eight and one-third innings.

The score:

BONITA.

	a.b.	r.	h.	p.o.	a.	e.
Nehrer, 2b	4	1	0	3	2	0
McDonald, c	4	2	1	7	0	0
M. Ferry, 3b	5	1	0	2	2	1
Doster, p	5	1	1	1	3	0
H. Ferry, 1b	5	1	2	9	0	0
McInery, cf	5	0	1	2	0	0
Hoke, lf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Whitted, ss,	3	2	1	3	2	0
Wald, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	38	9	7	27	9	1

COVINA.

	a.b.	r.	h.	p.o.	a.	e.
King, cf, p	4	1	2	2	1	0
Morris, 1b	4	1	2	5	0	1
Dalin, c	4	0	0	12	2	2
Jackson, 2b	3	0	0	3	1	1
Jenner, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Edmundson, ss, cf	4	0	0	2	0	1
Heath, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Harris, rf,	2	1	1	1	0	0
Olmstead, 3b, ss	4	0	0	0	3	3
Jackley, 3b	1	1	1	1	0	1
Smith, p	3	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	38	3	7	27	7	9

SUMMARY.

Earned runs—Bonita 0, Covina 3.

Bases on balls—off Smith 4; off King 1; off Doster 2.

Left on bases—Bonita 8, Covina 6.

Wild pitches—Smith 1, King 1.

First base on errors—Bonita 4; Covina 1.

Two base hits—McDonald, H. Ferry, Whitted.

Home runs—Morris.

Struck out—by King, 10 in 8⅓ innings; by Doster, 6.

PANTAGES.

The Pantages show which appears here Monday afternoon is the same that opened the grand new Pantages theater in Winnipeg, said to be the finest vaudeville theater in Canada. The show was specially selected for the auspicious occasion and the approval of the audience which attended the opening and Pantages audiences all along the circuit have justified the selection.

The show has a double headline, which being an illogical statement as well as a typographical impossible, one of the headliners is rated as a special added attraction but which one to be thus honored is a problem which Manager Waller finds difficult.

The contenders for the big type in the announcements are Milton and Dolly Nobles in "The Auto-Suggestion Club," and M'lle. Argie and her lions. Howard Brothers, the famous banjoists with their flying banjos and operatic review, are a close third.

The Nobles are so far from being strangers here, that the mere mention of their names is about all the advance notice they require. Their act, written by Mr. Nobles, is a sequel to that other laughable hit, "Why Walker Reformed," in which this clever couple were last seen here. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Walker are the characters and the place is Walker flat at 8 o'clock p.m.

Adgie has the same family of jungle pets that she last presented here with the exception of Prince, who has departed from vaudeville never to return. The cubs have grown bigger and more playful than when Adgie showed them to Pantages audiences before their eyes were open. Adgie has a way of her own with the big "cats," and an act which no other trainer seems able to duplicate, though many have tried.

Howard Brothers and their banjo playing are internationally famous. To the playing and juggling they have added an "operatic review" which brings a new class of music into the reportoire of the banjo.

Frank Richards and Louise Montrose have a lively crossfire comedy. Both are clever entertainers, singers and dancers. Our old friend Phil La Toska, the talkative juggler, returns. Arthur Rigby, black-face monologist, another coast favorite, is also listed.

OVER A MILLION ARE ENTITLED TO VOTE

SACRAMENTO, April 28.—One million two hundred thousand men and women will be qualified to vote at the November election according to figures compiled by State Printer Friend W. Richardson from estimates made by the county clerks of the various counties of the state.

A pamphlet containing the constitutional amendments and propositions to be voted upon must be printed and mailed to each voter. Two years ago the pamphlet contained 32 pages but this year it will probably be four or five times as large, as there are now on file 22 constitutional amendments four referendums and six initiatives. Besides these there are over a dozen initiatives being circulated which, if the necessary signatures are secured, must go on the ballot.

The registration shows that 30 per cent of voters are in the bay sections, 37 per cent in eight southern counties, 11 per cent in the San Joaquin valley, 7½ per cent in the Sacramento valley, 3 per cent in the Central coa counties, 4 per cent in the mountain counties, 4½ per cent in the Northern coast counties and 3 per cent in the remaining counties.

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TOILET PAPER—Sparrow brand---------- 6 for 25c

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MATCHES—some ask 5c box, any quantity, sale price--- 3c box

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GLASS WASH BOARDS ---------- 29c

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CRITICISM AND APPRECIATION OF BULLETIN ON MECHANICAL INJURY RECENTLY ISSUED

The California Citrus Protective League has recently issued a bulletin dealing with blue mold and its relation to the mechanical injury of citrus fruits. This is not the first article on this subject from this source, but one of many that have emanated from the exhaustive study made by G. Harold Powell, at the time that he was an investigator in the employ of the federal government. Mr. Powell and his associates, through the Citrus Protective League, have done a great service to this industry.

But the Argus wishes to point out that investigations have gone farther than blue mold, in this question of the keeping qualities of citrus fruits, and while this fact may be known as apparently to the compilers of the recent bulletin, they have not been included. We wish to here present a portion of the late bulletin, and at the bottom, include some of the investigations carried on in the valley in the past five years.

Parts of the bulletin are as follows:

THE DECAY IN ORANGES.

The United States Department of Agriculture has just published a bulletin entitled "Factors Governing the Successful Shipment of Oranges from Florida." (a) The data contained in this bulletin apply to California oranges as well, and it is thought desirable to bring this question again before the orange growers of California. As the bulletin contains fifty pages we have abstracted some of the more important facts and tables and the conclusions drawn by the Department. The present standard of the Florida orange pack is due primarily to the work of the Department which has been continuous in Florida since 1907.

The investigations in Florida confirm the following principles in the handling of citrus fruits:

"An injured orange, whether grown in California or in Florida, will decay whenever the conditions for the development of blue-mold are favorable. A sound orange in good, healthy condition, whether grown in California or in Florida, is able to resist blue-mold decay."

The common blue-mold fungus was always found to be associated with decaying oranges and develops wherever the skin of the orange is injured in any way.

"Blue-mold decay is caused by the growth of a minute organism within the tissues of a well-grown fruit; hence there must be a break or an abrasion of some kind in the skin, through which the disease may find an entrance."

As a practical question, the decay in California or Florida oranges results from the methods of handling the fruit in preparing it for shipment in the field and in the packing houses. The question is related to the injuries which are produced in the skin of the fruit in picking it, pouring it into field boxes, hauling it to the packing house and to the various kinds of injury that occur in handling it in the house.

The fruit on the tree has almost perfect keeping quality. As it leaves the packing house this keeping quality has been preserved or destroyed, depending almost entirely upon the treatment to which it has been subjected.

"Since the principal means of securing oranges of good keeping quality is by eliminating mechanical injuries to the fruit, the occurrence of decay is therefore closely connected with the handling methods in use in the grove and packing house.

"The most common type of injury was made by the point of the clippers in cutting the oranges from the tree. . . . Many of the oranges were severely injured by stem punctures, which are produced when an orange cut from the tree with a long stem is allowed to fall or roll forcibly against another fruit, while others showed scratches of various kinds or punctures from thorns. . . . Frequently bruises were found that could be traced to rough and careless work in loading and carting the fruit from the groves to the packing house and in unloading. . . Very often there was considerable injury that could be traced to some broken wire in a wash tank, a protruding screw among the bristles in the brushing machines, a nail or bolt extending into a chute or runway, or some similar defect." (a)

"Thorn punctures, which are made while the fruit is still on the tree, are among the first injuries to which citrus fruits are subjected. . . . The puncturing which occurs when the fruit is being picked may be prevented, however, although it is frequently difficult to handle the oranges with sufficient care to avoid pressure against thorns or dried twigs when these are present in large numbers. Fruit is often bruised when the ladder is placed carelessly in the tree or when the sack is allowed to strike or is pressed against the branches or ladder. . . . "

Even though the field box may be filled only to its capacity, the top fruit may be injured in handling the boxes by sliding off the top box from the one underneath—the rear end of the top box is not kept in a horizontal position and is allowed to sink down to the level of the oranges in the lower box—necessarily injuring some of the fruit.

"Among the most common forms of injury may be mentioned scratches made by the finger nails of the pickers and packers, each of whom should be required to wear gloves. It is comparatively easy for packers, especially if their finger nails are long, to seriously injure a large percentage of the oranges which they handle. Some of the packers also do a great deal of harm by dragging the oranges around in the bins.

What the Argus would like to call attention to is that blue-mold, for the most part is merely an indication that many different kinds of fungi may have been at work. Perhaps Mr. Powell and his associates in investigation are merely giving the term "blue-mold" as a name to blanket all fungi of this character, thinking perhaps that further explanation scientifically would be confusing to the rancher. But there are some radical differences in the various fungi.

There are various fungi that affect the orange besides the blue-mold: Penicillium glaucum, and its companion, Penicillium digitatum, the Pythiacystis citrophthora, Schlerotina, Colletotrichum gloesporioides, Altenaria citri, Diplodia natalensis, Cladosporium herbarum, Capnodium citri, Cladosporium citri, Aschersonia aleyrodis, Gloesporium psidii. Fusarium and others. The blue-mold being the last one to be seen on account of its habit of growing on the surface of the rind, or rotting mass, has been the one to receive the most attention.

Fungi sometimes follow each other in rotation, the parasitic fungi breaking down the tissue, and the saprophite following and feeding on the broken-down tissue, or other fruit cells. A thorough study of rots, mold, decays and abrasions of all sorts would undoubtedly prove of enormous benefit to the green fruit shipper.

It is very probable that with the proper use of fungicide the keeping qualities of the orange might be very much extended. Fungi follow abrasion on the root, tree and fruit if the condition for innoculation is favorable. With a better understanding of the laws of decay, refrigeration might be eliminated.

Beautifying Committee Offers Prizes to Cities

Every Incorporated Municipality in County Will Compete in Grand Floral Prize Carnival.

The Committee on Beautifying Los Angeles County for the coming of the Expositions of 1915 has already taken up thoroughly the prize contests in the public schools. The railroads of the county are interested in the prizes offered for the best-kept stations and sections. The work of beautifying the boulevards of the county with roses trained on trellises is fairly under way, and the school children are also interesting themselves in the prizes offered in relation to the county highways.

One branch of this important work which has not yet been touched upon is that of the municipalities. Prizes of $1000, $500 and $250 have been offered to municipalities. The cities have been divided into four classes—cities of 5000 population or less; cities of 15,000 population or less, and cities of 25,000 population or less, and cities of 40,000 population or less.

The awarding of prizes to municipalities is to be done on the following points: Thirty three and one-third per cent for parks and parking spaces, thirty-three and one-third per cent for best improvement of vacant lots, thirty-three and one-third per cent for best general artistic floral effect in the city as a whole.

Practically no work has been done on this matter of municipalities as yet. The chairman of this sub-committee believes that the remainder of the committee is heartily in favor of taking this matter up next. We have made splendid progress in the other branches of the work. It is now the time to get the various members of the city councils together. At this assembly there should be outlined a concrete plan, or suggestions which will give the cities something to work on.

The improvement of vacant lots is in itself a subject upon which one might write a book. In touching upon this question in the prize-giving, nothing specific has been said, but it is not to be supposed that the improvement of vacant lots means wholly that of planting them to flowers. If a man improves his lot with a vegetable garden, it should count as fully in favor of the city as if it had been sown with poppies or petunias. The point which I believe we should emphasize in the matter of vacant lots is that they should be kept irrigated. Crops or flowers does not matter so much as to which, as the fact that the lots should be green. In many little cities in the orange and lemon districts, it is a common thing to see fine fruit trees dying for want of water. In September, for instance, the trees often look as if they had been scourged by fire. If irrigation is kept up on these lots, the trees themselves will beautify enough. The lot that is all grown up to weeds and upon which all kinds of refuse is dumped should count very strongly against the municipality.

In the matter of parks and parking spaces there is much that can be said. Some cities have a system of irrigation for the parking spaces on the principal streets. It has long been a hobby of mine that any city in California that wishes to go ahead of its neighboring city in floral beauty should first establish an irrigating system in connection with its domestic system. I have advocated the combining of fire hydrants with a system of irrigation, so that these hydrants, set more frequently than is now the case, might be used to flood the parking spaces, to water the shade trees, and could be also used by the property-owner to irrigate the vacant lot or the back yard garden.

It is a fact that many varieties of shade trees in Southern California are stunted in growth because they receive little or no water during the summer months. Since the streets have been laid down in asphalt and macadam the tree-roots receive very little of the water from storms. The run-off is much heavier than it used to be. If we can start something in this committee which will result in a better care of parking spaces and shade trees, we will have done something of permanent value.

The adjudging of a city from the standpoint of the best artistic floral effect I take to mean that this relates to the amount of floral planting done during the coming year by the house-owner, renter and all citizens. In speaking on this subject to the members of the city councils, I would suggest that the cities offer additional prizes for floral beautification. They can divide their cities into segments, or can cause to have formed certain street improvement societies. Already in the Covina district there is one street, over five miles in length, which will be beautified with roses from end to end, and this will be done through the formation of a street improvement society.

I do not believe that any city could do better than to offer substantial prizes in addition to the ones offered by this committee. These prizes would relate to both the planting of quick-growing flowers, and to permanent effects in floral designing. Nowhere in the world is it so easy to get beautiful floral effects as in Southern California. With this impetus added by the prizes of the committee and of the city, there should be some wonderful effects secured during the twelvemonth.

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RIVERSIDE, April 29.—While Beaumonters slumbered peacefully during the sleep-producing rains of last night yeggmen blew open the safe in the postoffice, located in the heart of the business district of the town, and secured $121.16 in stamps and money, most of the loss being in stamps, principally of one-cent and two-cent denominations.

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Are We Better Than God?

News of "battle, murder and sudden death" out of old Mexico, that land of bloody griefs. We, who have traveled over that country in times of what has been called peace, could not exclaim with enthusiasm of the things we saw. Mexico, with warring factions internecine, is but a little worse than Mexico in peace or armed truce—the people suffer the misery of the terribly ignorant, the woefully oppressed, the degragation of slavery. Many years ago the enlightened nations smote slavery and killed it forever, but Mexico, with its medaeval system of peonage is just as terrible today as one hundred years ago, and will be just as pitiable, just as lowly and swathed in misery one hundred years from now, unless the benevolent tyrany of civilized nations is thrown into the balance.

In every country we have a class that must be dominated, ruled, educated and controlled. Were it not so we could do away with our city policing. Some few, in the minority in civilized places, are dependents, morally distorted, victims perhaps of early malnutrition, or the outcome of human spawning in the insufferable tenement districts of the great cities. These make constant trouble for the authorities, but the duty is not shirked, and gradually, we are seeing an improvement in the United States, where a better system of school education is rescuing the children of the Ghetto and Hester street, them to lift themselves up and out of the deadly environment.

If we saw two members of a family fighting to the death, we would send in a hurry call for the police. We would assist the police if necessary in order that murder be not done. Does it make any difference that we might sacrifice our lives in doing so? Does it make any difference that a policeman is killed now and then interfering between two men bent on murder? Such things must be as long as violence and insanity and savagery exist in the world. Then, why should we look upon it in a different light when it is an imaginary boundary line between two nations that causes us to hesitate? Is the fighting man in the aggregate different from the fighting individuals? War in Mexico is merely the savagery of various chiefs whose humanity has never been awakened; who fan the fierce fires of ignorance to gain their own places of shaky power. There is no great moral purpose perched on the banners of any of these Mexican leaders. Mark you, no leader even makes the statement that he is fighting to free Mexicans from slavery. If he utters a patriotic sentiment, it is invariably a generalization. No man in Mexico of late years had the real progress of his people at heart save unhappy Madero. He was ahead of his time and the savages butchered him.

No, the quickest, most humane, most progressive method of bringing civilization into Mexico for a permanent thing is for the United States to annex the country from California to the Panama canal. There is no dodging the fact that there will be sacrifices in connection with such work. The world has never seen civilization in any part until armies had conquered. The sword has always led the way to civilization.

President Wilson is showing a caution and deliberation in this matter that is probably worthy of commendation. It is no good thing to rush into war, even though the cause may be just. President Wilson is right in not recognizing Huerta, the murderer. There is no government in Mexico. And, until some strong hand takes the reins, the country will continue to run wild.

We owe it to the world of progress; we owe it to the fulfillment of the mission of Christ upon this earth to take that country out of its slough of despond and civilize it. As we have said before, the countries of the world will praise us for the act when fifty years have rolled. War is a terrible thing. It is a weapon that must be used at times. The golden era has not yet come upon the world. The sword is still potent, and there are times when a powerful nation should wield it in behalf of a pitiful humanity. Yes, Americans will die in such a war, perhaps many of them. Our sons will be once more a living secrifice on the altar of freedom. But should we hesitate? Are we better than God? "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten son that whosoever believed in Him might have everlasting life."

"Make It Another State of the Union."

Rev. Baker P. Lee, rector of Christ Episcopal church, Los Angeles, gave a ringing and militant sermon last Sunday morning, in which he advocated the annexation of Mexico for the good of humanity and the world in the years to come. The sermon is so exactly along the lines of the editorials in the Argus for the last six months on this subject, that we quote from it as follows:

"After years of 'watchful waiting,' until patience has ceased to be a virtue and national honor compels us to take a firm stand; in this age of peace when we hoped war was gone forever, we find our gallant forces of navy and army ready to march into Mexico," said the rector. "It has to be deplored, but for years it has been gathering, and now there must be no half-way measures. It would be silly to supplant one bandit with another on the so-called throne of the so-called republic of Mexico.

Since the days of Maximilian the people of Mexico have been in turmoil and anarchy, without law or order, save under the mailed hand of Porfirio Diaz. Now it would seem for the immediate and ultimate good of Mexico and for all America that the United States should speak, not with that diplomacy in which language is used to conceal thought, but in the direct method of John Hay; that we annex Mexico, make it another state of the Union—the state of Mexico—give them a splendid system of public schools, a regional bank and let Mr. Carnegie give them a chain of public libraries. Then education, law and order will lead them to the one happy and useful existence. It will take a large number of men and possibly several years to achieve this, but in the end it will be best. Whatever sacrifice it means to us now we must be willing to make it for the sake of the children there who will soon be its citizens.

"If it became necessary, your pastor would form a company of soldiers from Christ church, offer our services and go to the front for the honor of the flag and for righteous duty far dearer than life. One drop of blood is worth a gallon of ink and a year's talk. First of all I am a Christian, then an American, then a churchman. Like Nathan Hale, I would be sorry that I had but one life to give for my country."

BABY BOY TELLS MOTHER OF FLAMES IN KITCHEN

Some baby clothes hanging by the stove in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Kimberlen, corner of Badillo and Second street, caught fire yesterday morning at about 11 o'clock, and caused the calling out of a part of the fire department. The flames were put out by Mr. Kimberlen. The baby boy was the first to discover the fire, which was spreading over the floor of the kitchen, and ran and told his mother. The little boy was not burned.

CONCLAVE OF SIR KNIGHTS BEST IN STATE HISTORY

Eminent Commander Thomas F. Griswold of Covina Commandery, No. 49, Knights Templars, returned last Saturday from San Francisco, where he attended the conclave of the Grand Commandery. It was one of the most impressive gatherings of Sir Knights ever held in the state. The street cars and traffic in the streets was stopped for three hours while the parade was being held.

Little Argus want ads—big results.

Church News

Church of the Sacred Heart, Catholic—Mass at 8:00 a.m. in new edifice at Fifth and Center strets. Rev. M. H. Geary, pastor.

The Presbyterian church. C. D. Williamson, pastor. Services will be held next Sabbath as follows: 9:45 a. m., Sabbath-school; 11 a.m., morning worship; 3:00 p.m., Junior Endeavor; 6:30 p.m., Young People's Society; 7:30 p.m., the people's service; Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., the church prayer and social service.

Services in the Church of the Holy Trinity; Third Sunday after Easter: Holy Communion and sermon, 11 a.m. Evensong, 7:30 p.m. Sunday-shcool, 9:45 a.m.

Evangelical Lutheran, St. John's church. Corner Third and Dexter streets. Rev. Paul Scherf, pastor. Divine service Sunday at 10 a.m.; scripture lesson, John 16: 16-23; theme, "The Sorrow and the Joy of a Christian." Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m. Monday at 1:30 p.m. congregation will sing.

First Methodist church; S. J. McConnell, pastor. Sunday-school at 9:45; R. T. Chew, Jr., superintendent. Public worship at 11 a.m.; sermon by Rev. Vernon M. McCoombs, superintendent of Spanish churches of Southern California. Mr. Richard Draper will assist the choir and sing a solo. Junior League at 4 p.m. Senior League at 6:45; Elmer King, leader; topic, "Heart Hunger for God and His House." Public worship at 7:45. Evangelistic services led by the pastor. Missionary prayer meeting on Wednesday night. Official board meeting on Monday night at 7:45. Everybody cordially invited to all of the meetings.

Christian church; D. F. Stafford, pastor. Sunday-school at 9:45 a.m.; elsson, "The Prodigal Son." Church services at 11 a.m. and 7:45 p.m.; morning subject, "How Nearly is Presbyterianism United?"; evening subject, "Paul on Mar's Hill." Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:45; topic, "The Fifth Verse." Prayer service on Wednesday evening at 7:45; topic, "The Spirit That Makes for Christian Unity." Official board meeting on Tuesday evening at 7:45. The Missionary Society, Mission Training Class and Pastor's Aid Society will meet on Thursday in an all-day session. All members are urged to be present.

Christian Science Society of Covina holds service Sunday at 11 a.m. in Woman's Club House, Citrus avenue and Center street. Subject, "Everlasting Punishment." Sunday-school at 9:45 a.m. Wednesday meeting at 8 p.m.

First Baptist church; William W. Catherwood, minister; Almo Taylor, musical director. Church, Second street near College. Lord's Day services as follows: Bible-school at 9:45 a.m.; Prof. Herbert Healy, superintendent; morning worship at 11 a.m.; sermon by Dr. A. M. Petty, Los Angeles; music by the mixed quartet; Intermediate and Senior B.Y.P.U. at 6:45; a divisional meeting, young men meeting in one room and the young women in the other. Every member is requested to be present. Evening service at 7:45; subject, "Heaven, The Ideal Home.— Where Is It; What Is It Like; Shall We Know Our Loved One?; How Can I Get There?" Solo, Mr. Taylor. Quartet and big chorus choir. Come with the crowd. Sunday, May 10th, this church commences a series of special meetings. Wednesday evening prayer service at 7:45. The church of the people with a glad hand for all.

W. C. T. U. SOCIAL AFTERNOON.

On Wednesday afternoon, May 8th, the W.C.T.U. will hold a social afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. D. Reed, with an especial welcome to the new members. There will be some musical numbers rendered by Mrs. Roy Goodell, and a report of the party convention held at Pasadena. There will also be games and refreshments.

The course in Civics planned by the W. C. T. U. has been almost completed and the future plans will be changed by the Dry Federation. The meeting planned for the lecture on taxes will be given in the near future, an announcement of which will be made later.

COVINA MAN VISITS GREAT ROOSEVELT DAM

E. A. Cooper of San Bernardino road has just returned on Thursday from Phoenix, Arizona. While in that Country he visited the famous Roosevelt dam in the Salt River valley, which waters 250,000 acres of land in the vicinity of Phoenix.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS:

All obnoxious weeds and grass now growing on your lots or in the park strip in front thereof must be cut within ten days from date hereof, or the City Marshal will take the necessary steps to have the same done at your expense, and add the same to your taxes and collect the same therewith.

Dated this 25th day of April, 1914.

F. J. CROZIER,
City Marshal of the City of Covina. 5-2

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I want to say to all of my friends and patrons that Doctor Ratledge has consented to come here and take up my work. He is a Chiropractor to whom I can recommend you and feel that you will receive thorough and scientific adjusting.

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I hope those of you who are not willing to let the M. D.'s say to you: "USE ME OR NONE," will resent this attack upon your rights that has been brought under the cloak of the medical inspector's office.

I wish all those who know themselves to be in debt to me would settle within the next week.

To those who wish to know more of the man who is to take my place, call me over the phone and I will be glad to inform you fully.

Resp'y,
THOMPSON,
The Chiropractor.

FANCY WORK AND CLUB MATTERS

Last Monday was social afternoon, and a large number of women gathered with their fancy work to talk over club matters. Delegates were appointed for the state convention at Riverside, and plans made for a supper to be given at the club house next week Saturday.

The club endorsed the following resolutions which Mrs. C. W. Coman brought before the state resolution committee for adoption, backed by the Pasadena Shakespeare Club, the Washington Heights Club, and the Current Events at Ontario:

"Whereas, The club women of California have stood and do stand for the highest physical, social, educational, industrial and moral welfare of women and children everywhere, but particularly for those in this state, and

Whereas, The open sale of alcoholic liquors is both detrimental and dangerous to the highest interests of women and children, and

Whereas, The interests of humanity are of infinitely greater value than those of property,

Therefore Be It Resolved, That we, the California Federation of Women's Clubs, here assembled, do hereby endorse the proposed state constitutional prohibitive amendment, to be voted upon at the fall election November 3, 1914, as a humanitarian measure of high value, well worthy our support and active interest.

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Summer rates now on at Hotel Vendome. Rooms cheap. 1t

The Woman's Lyric Club met on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. D. Reed for practice.

Miss Edith Waterhouse of Los Angeles spent the week-end with Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Reed.

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R. L. Jones attended the Shriner's convention in Los Angeles on Tuesday.

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A. L. Jones, who has been quite sick for several days, is again able to attend to business in Los Angeles.

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The best buy in Covina today—Panama Bread. Warner, Whitsel & Co. 1t

Mr. W. P. Nye and son, Wilbur, attended a concert given by Mr. Mischa Elman, a great violinist, in Los Angeles on Tuesday.

Perhaps you already know it, but the Victrola talking machine is the very best on the market. W. W. Nash drug store. tf

Mrs. W. P. Nye spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. A. W. Nye, in Los Angeles and attended a large auction bridge party.

Mrs. Cogswell and daughter of Los Angeles were luncheon guests on Thursday of Mrs. Smart and daughter.

When better irrigating gates are made, the Kellar-Thomason Company will make them. A. M. Seeley, agent. Phone 73. tf

Tom Reed is expected home from Berkeley, where he is attending school, the latter part of next week, for the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Traweek moved this week from the San Antonio apartments to the new bungalow in the rear of Mrs. Sanborn's home on Center street.

Have you been talking about pianos with anyone lately? Are you thinking of buying? Then, we would like to see you and show you the Baldwin line of pianos at the Covina Furniture Store.

Mrs. A. J. Wilkins, who has been staying in Los Angeles for the past month for the benefit of her little daughter's health, has returned to Covina, and is again at home in the Sidwell apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Walker were guests at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Mussey last Sunday, in honor of Mrs. Helen B. Hartung. Mrs. Hartung and Mrs. Walker were old friends in Romeo, Michigan.

See Miss Reckard for the small Panama hats. Prices $2.00 and up. Have a new assortment of dress hats in every week. Order work a specialty. Yours to please,

Miss Sara Reckard.

The social and sewing bee of the Pastor's Aid of the Presbyterian church, which was postponed on account of the rain, will be held Wednesday afternoon, May 6, from 3 to 5 o'clock, in the church parlors. All members and friends very cordially invited to come.

Mrs. W. W. Nash entertains the dancing club of the young people for her son, Robert Stebbins, tonight. The young people will enjoy dancing and cards. The guests will be: Misses Marie Anderson, Rosita Kerckhoff, Dorothy Bryan, Katherine Lipke, Eileane Griffiths, Leta Nash, Eleanore Curtis, Gladys Sherwood, and Juanita Morris; Messrs. James Anderson, Noland Morris, Clyde King, Will Warren, Franz Dalin, Jack Clarke, Gilbert Nigg, Ralph Smith, and Phillip Leighton.

Mrs. S. S. Aschenbrenner and Mrs. Bert Blanchard entertained with a delightful May dinner party last evening at the home of the former. Table decorations were in tiny May baskets and a beautifully appointed dinner was served. The evening was spent in the usual pastime of the club, five hundred, and a very enjoyable time was had. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Van Vliet, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crawford, Mrs. Della Arthur and Miss Sara Reckard.

Gift Books. Covina Book Store.

C. Fred Aschenbrenner for crown, bridge and plate work. 5-9

McBride repairs gasoline stoves. Phone 336. tf

Legal blanks and typewriter supplies. Covina Book Store.

See S. Douglas & Sons for fire insurance. The "Royal" agency. tf

Miss Dorothy Trench of Los Angeles is spending the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. A. R. Evans.

Mrs. J. R. Elliott delightfully entertained the Five Hundred Club on Wednesday evening.

Armour fertilizers grow fancy fruit. A. M. Seeley, sales agent. Phone 73. tf

Mrs. Hargrave and two children of Ontario are spending the week with the former's aunt, Mrs. C. E. Bristow.

Mrs. Phillips and baby, who have been visiting Mrs. Phillip's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Evans, are now in Los Angeles visiting.

Miss Mabel Hastings returned home this week, after spending the winter with friends and relatives in and near Boston.

Mrs. Senegren and son, Egard, of Cleveland, Ohio, are visiting A. T. Anderson and family. They expect to locate in Covina in the near future.

Mrs. Helen B. Hartung, who has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Mussey, returned to her home in Highland Park on Wednesday.

The kids know a good thing when they see it. That is why they yell crusty loaves of Panama Bread and Warner, Whitsel & Co. 1t

The pupils of Mrs. S. J. Bowler will give a recital at the Methodist church on Tuesday evening, May 12th, and a cordial invitation is extended to all those interested in the study of the piano.

Roy Blanchard, Harry Church, Dailey Stafford and William Colver attended the Christian Endeavor meeting at Azusa last Sunday evening. The Covina Christian Endeavor will entertain tomorrow evening.

Mrs. Bert Blanchard entertained on Wednesday evening with a daintily appointed birthday dinner in honor of her husband. Her guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Ohaver, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Aschenbrenner, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crawford and Mrs. William Aschenbrenner.

Mrs. Rew and Mrs. A. B. Marshall entertained on Thursday afternoon with a "daisy chain" tea at the former's home on Rowland avenue, "Glengables." The twenty-five ladies present enjoyed a delightfully informal afternoon.

Mrs. Edgar Mitchell received this week the announcement of the marriage of her sister, Miss Grace E. Boots, to Mr. Fred Meyer, both residents of Stockton. Miss Boots has many friends in Covina, having attended the public schools here, finishing with a course in Stockton business college. Mr. Meyer is a prominent business man of Stockton, being proprietor of a large grocery store there.

Pennants, 10c and up. Covina Book Store.

See Jerome Reynolds for prices and terms on Valencia Heights land. tf

Summer rates now on at Hotel Vendome. Rooms cheap. 1t

Mrs. C. H. Betts of Hollywood is spending several days with her brother, Mr. N. D. Mussey.

Mrs. Harry Snodgrass is visiting friends in Utah, expecting to remain until the middle of May.

Mrs. Mary Houser of Sawtelle is the guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Houser.

Mrs. Hollenbeak of Long Beach was a guest last week of Mrs. G. W. Dulin.

Mrs. W. B. Thorne spent the early part of the week with friends and relatives in Riverside and Hemet.

Earl Rogers, a prominent attorney of Los Angeles, spent Wednesday night with Attorney Gail and family.

Mrs. Leo Stirn was taken violently ill at her home this week and was immediately removed to the Pomona Valley Hospital.

Mrs. Josephine Garey left this week for Rockford, Ill., where she will spend the summer with friends and relatives.

Buy one of those big, round, brown, crusty loaves of Panama Berad and live happy ever after. Warner, Whitsel & Co. 1t

Miss Edith Stark of Long Beach, formerly of Covina, has been spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Charles Ross, and visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Caddell, the former the proprietor of the Reliable garage, are moving into their new home on Cottage Drive this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Miller and family motored to Compton to the home of Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Madison Bashor, on Saturday. Mrs. Bashore and Miss Julia Bashore accompanied them to Hermosa Beach.

Mrs. J. E. White entertained with a birthday party last Wednesday afternoon, in honor of her little son, Frankie's, birthday. Games were enjoyed by the little folks and refreshments of cake and apples were served.

On Sunday, May the tenth, at the First Baptist church, Rev. Catherwood will commence a series of special meetings. The pastor will do the preaching, assisted by a special singer and a large chorus choir. You are cordially invited to enjoy these meetings.

Sale of George Ide & Co.'s new shirts at 50c each reduction. To introduce goods. Ide & Company are one of the largest manufacturers of fine shirts in the United States. The sale is on at all good stores in California who handle Ide shirts. Broadwell.

About thirty-two ladies of the local Christian church attended the district convention of the C. W. B. M. at Glendora on Thursday. The day was very enjoyably spent with addresses and reports. An especially interesting one being given on the "immigration question" by Prof. Parker of Claremont and by Mrs. Cas n, the state president for Southern California, on "Prayer." The meeting was held at the Christian church and the large number of guests were served with an elaborate luncheon at the hotel.

SUSPEND YOUR JUDGMENT —WE HAVE OUR TROUBLES

Does your local merchant or bank sometimes displease you? Forget it. To err is human, to forgive divine. The problems that confront a merchant are more difficult than the care of a ship on a storm-tossed ocean, or the passing of a boat through the rapids. Patience, endurance, eternal vigilence, judgment, luck, hard work—and then sometimes we fail. As far as we know how, we do what is right.

You know no part of our business is harder to handle than the question of credit. Practically everyone in this community is "good." But none who is not in business can ever guess what it takes to run a store.

Sometimes, several thousand dollars will come due at once. We must pay. There is no excuse, no delay. There is no tomorrow for us. The mandate is "pay now." Unless we do this, or credit, perhaps our store, the work of a lifetime, is gone.

Now, good friends, if we send you a statement twice for the same account—if we get short and ask you to help us out—if we do some other thing you just "don't like"—if you get a grievance against us, or against one of the clerks—

Recollect that life has troubles enough for us—forget it. Dearly as I love life and my little family; beautiful as is our land of sunny skies; great as is life to me, and sorry as I shall be to leave it (though I fear not the future), I couldn't live life again and be a merchant.

No, Bill, I WOULDN'T.

THE BROADWELL STORE.

CHIROPRACTIC ANNOUNCEMENT

Beginning on Tuesday, May 5th, Tullius F. Ratledge, consulting Chiropractor, president and dean of the Ratledge system of Chiropractic Schools of Topeka, Kansas; San Francisco, and Los Angeles, California, established 1908, will be at 276 West Orange street, Covina, Cal., phone 297, and thereafter will be at the above address on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays of each week and respectfully solicits the patronage of all citizens in or near Covina, who desire Chiropractic adjustments.

BARBECUE IN HILLS.

There was a barbecue given by the employees of the Satanite Powder Company at the Rowland hills, Sunday. Those present were: Messrs. E. A. Benjamin, Vincent Cota, Arthur Desauliniers, V. Pemmel, F. Borley, F. Ohca, D. Geer, G. McCaige, J. Lopes, W. J. Yorba, S. Lopez, L. Vejal, S. Miranda, F. Porter, Fisher, F. Serrano and D. Rowland; Mr. and Mrs. F. Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. R. Cota and children, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Yorba; Misses Jessie and Carrie Cota, Josie and Helen Conde, Carrie Serrano, Minnie McCaige, M. Spurlock; Mrs. Blanchard and children.

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BEAVER BOARD — PURE WOOD FIBRE

COVINA LUMBER CO.

LUMBER — LIME—CEMENT PLASTER

Front and Citrus Avenue

Home Phone 4

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REFRIGERATED

and Carefully Protected Meats

This means a good deal to the consumer of meats in warm weather. Our abbattoir at Pomona is pronounced as perfect in the safeguarding of meats from exposure.

Covina Valley Market

Branch of the San Antonio Meat Company of Pomona — Home Phone 36

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This a fact. They do more work, sell more goods and are of more benefit to their users than any other agency, considering their cost.

Every week people voluntarily testify to the really wonderful quick results they get from these liners.

Right along people dispose of all kinds of articles, from building lots and lands, down to small household articles. They are especially effective in selling horses, cows, and poultry.

Have you a farm implement or household article which you no longer need? Try an Argus liner. The cost will be in the neighborhood of 25c and the balance of the money you get from the sale will be like finding money. Phone it in.

Home Phone No. 3.

BUSTER BROWN IS COMING TO TOWN TO WORK FOR US. EVERY WEEK FOR A WHOLE YEAR HE WILL COME INTO YOUR HOME AND TELL YOU ABOUT OUR DELICIOUS HOME-MADE CANDIES, ICE-CREAMS, FRENCH PASTRY, PIES, FANCY DECORATED WEDDING AND BIRTHDAY CAKES AND LUNCHEONS. YOU WILL LIKE OUR PLACE MORE EVERY TIME YOU COME IN.

DON'T SWEAT OVER THE HOT STOVE BAKING; JUST PHONE YOUR ORDER TO THE EMERALD SWEET SHOP.

FREE MUSIC SATURDAY EVENINGS, 7:30 TO 10:30 P. M., BY EXPERT MUSICIANS.

THE EMERALD SWEET SHOP

PHONE 104 — COVINA, CALIFORNIA

Men's Work Shoes

Just received 32 cases men's work shoes from our factory at a slightly reduced price. We can show you an unusually large assortment from $2 to $5.

Men's Tan, Blutcher, Horsehide, Bellows Tongue, nicely made, solid as a rock, at $2.85. These shoes are worth not less than $3.50.

Boys' solid lace shoes, sizes 3, 3½, 4, 4½; samples $2.65 and $2.85. $4.00 values Boys' Button Shoes of solid calf; an unusually good one $2.00.

Men's Tan and Black Oxford. The new long last. Exceedingly stylish; should be $5, but are $4.00.

Women's and Children's Shoes

Big Girls' low heel shoes in Button, Calf, Oak Soles, shapely lasts. You cannot help but like them. $2.50 and $2.85.

New Colonial Pumps, Black Gun metal, Patent Colt and Satin, $2.85 up.

Children's Mary Janes; a new one at a lower price, $1.50 and $1.75.

Owing to my low expense account and large volume of business I can and do sell better shoes than you can purchase elsewhere.

Silks

We show every week new patterns in Silks in exclusive patterns and that at reasonable prices; you can economize by purchasing from us.

We have several hundred satisfied customers and since the inauguration of our plan we have increased our business 200 per cent.

BROADWELL'S

Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes

COVINA, CALIFORNIA

Last League Game With El Monte Today

Having left last week's exams in the rear, we thought we should have clear sailing, when lo and behold, there descends upon us, as a thunder-bolt from a clear sky, the information that our final examinations will cover the work of the last two quarters. We thought we could forget all that we had learned in the past.

DETENTION CLASS.

During the past week there has been established a most dreaded and merciless institution, a detention class. This means a whole half-hour of extra hard work for those unfortunate and impulsive individuals who shoot paper wads, duck freshies, fail to learn their lessons, or are caught pulling wings off flies in the assembly room. We are astonished to see the faces of several young ladies among the chosen few.

THE PENCIL-EATERS.

Many students have been caught scratching their heads and eating good pencils lately. Poor things; they are members of the Cardinal staff, trying to write something that people will read.

AT POMONA COLLEGE.

Saturday, May 8, Peter Feddersohn will represent us in an oratorical contest to be held at Pomona College. This contest will be open to all high schools in Southern California, so we shall go up against the best. Last year the contest was won by Los Angeles Polytechnic high school.

LAST LEAGUE GAME.

This afternoon, we play our last league baseball game on our grounds, with El Monte.

JACK CLARKE, '15.

ARGUS EDITOR RECOVERS STOLEN MACHINE QUICKLY

J. L. Matthews, editor of the Argus, had his automobile stolen at Redondo Saturday night, and the machine was recovered at Boyle Heights late in the same evening. No traces of the persons who stole the machine was found.

The quick recovery of the machine is due to the fact that the editor got busy on the telephone as soon as he discovered the theft. He personally telephoned to every police station he could find in the telephone book for Los Angeles county. He had every station on the lookout for the machine, and the result was that the Boyle Heights station found the Ford abandoned in the street. The machine had not been injured.

Matthews thinks that if the owners of machines that have been stolen would try the system of calling up all the police stations immediately after the theft, the possibilities of getting the machine back quickly would be much greater. The district attorney of Los Angeles county also has a very efficient method of recovering the stolen autos.

HOW TO CONSTRUCT A POULTRY HOUSE

Poultry houses may be built more open and consequently less expensively in our Southern States than in the North, according to investigators of the department. However, a house which gives satisfaction in Maine will also give good results in Texas or California. The best site for a poultry house in any location is one where good water and air drainage are available. The floor and yards will then be dry. The house should not occupy a low hollow in which cold air settles. Wherever possible a southern or southeastern exposure should be selected, although this is not essential if there is any reason for facing the house in a different direction.

"Poultry House Construction" is the title of the department's new Farmers' Bulletin (No. 574), in which are explained the main features that should be considered, and in whic pictures and plans of satisfactory houses are shown. Every poultryman who contemplates erecting new poultry buildings should write to the department for this bulletin, which will be sent him free on application, as long as the department's supply lasts.

NATIONS PARTICIPATE IN 1915 EXPOSITION

Thirty-five nations have accepted the invitation of the United States to participate in the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco in 1915. The nations are as follows: Argentine Republic, Australia, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Chile, China, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, France, Guatamala, Haiti, Holland, Honduras, Italy, Japan, Liberia, Mexico, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Norway, Panama, Persia, Portugal, Salvador, Siam, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, Uruguay, and Venezuela.

247 MILES ARE COVERED IN ONE DAY

There seems to be no limit to the possibilities of the motor car. C. R. Young, a Maxwell owner of Covina, drove a Maxwell '25" touring car from Los Angeles to Tulare by way of Tehachepi, a distance of 247 miles, in one day.

This is all the more interesting because of the fact that he had his wife and small child in the car with him. Time was not long ago when such a trip would have been considered entirely out of the question, even with a big high-priced car, to say nothing of accomplishing such a feat with one of the lowest-priced cars on the market.

Young did not intend to make the entire trip in one day, as he was afraid it would tire his wife and baby too much, but when they got to Tehachepi the car was running along so well and none of the party were tired, so they went right on.

Another interesting point about the trip was the very low gasoline consumption, only about fourteen gallons of fuel being used for the entire trip, a record of twenty miles per gallon over rough mountain roads a large part of the way.

UPLAND MAN INVENTS NEW ORANGE DRYER

The Upland News says that through the simple use of an ordinary bath towel, and an ordinary wringer, Geo. T. Stamm, well known throughout this section, has invented what he calls the Midget Orange Dryer, which is going to revolutionize the present system of drying oranges.

Mr. Stamm has been working on this invention for two years and has just accomplished a result which is satisfactory to himself, and the machine is now in use in the Mountain View packing house south of the Santa Fe tracks. The old method of drying oranges after they have been washed is to elevate them to where the sun will dry them, the evaporation method requiring as much space as the floor space of the entire packing house; but with Mr. Stamm's machine only a 15-foot floor space is demanded and the result goes far ahead of anything yet before the people.

WALNUT SCHOOL PREPARES TO BEAUTIFY GROUNDS

WALNUT, Apr. 28.—A special meeting of the Walnut valley league was called by the first vice-president, W. B. Mullholand, for the purpose of discussing the feasibility of beautifying the school grounds.

The meeting was adjourned until Tuesday evening, at which time Hervey J. Nichols and J. M. Paige, of Pomona, will meet with the people of Walnut. Messrs. Nichols and Paige will explain the plan. Everyone is urged to be present.

POMONA COW OWNERS TO FIGHT ORDINANCE

POMONA, April 29.—Following the action of the city council yesterday afternoon in declining to modify the recently passed cow ordinance, several cow owners, headed by J. F. Mast, plan to fight it.

They have requested all cow owners within the prescribed district to not dispose of their stock pending a legal decision in the matter.

ARMIES OF WORLD COMING TO CALIFORNIA

More than fifty thousand troops, representative of all the great nations of the world, are expected to participate in the greatest military tournament ever held, upon the grounds of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco in 1915. The invitation extended by the war department of the United States to the foreign nations to send troops to an international military encampment.

NEARLY 100 AUTO LAW OFFENDERS IN COURT

Justice of the Peace Sidney A. Reeve yesterday disposed of nearly 100 automobile prosecutions. Twenty-eight persons were fined $2 to $5 each because they either neglected to light their lamps or failed to notice the fact that they had gone out. W. Weightman was fined $25 and costs for driving faster than fifty miles an hour.

L. D. Corbett was fined $15, but when he could produce only $7.50, the fine was reduced to that amount.

3 FEET SNOW ON SAN BERNARDINO PEAKS

SAN BERNARDINO, April 29. — The heaviest April storm in forty-three years placed three feet of snow on the San Bernardino mountains. Two and one-half inches of rain have fallen in the last thirty hours.

NOTICE OR INVITING SEALED. PROPOSALS OR BIDS.

Pursuant to statutes and to a Resolution of the Board of Trustees of the City of Covina, State of California, adopted on the 28th day of April, 1914, directing this notice, the undersigned invites and will receive at his office in the City Hall of said City of Covina (Room 6, Reed Building, at the northeast corner of Citrus Avenue and Badillo Avenue in said city), up to 8 o'clock p.m. on the 19th day of May, 1914, sealed proposals or bids for the following work to be done and improvement to be made to-wit:

FIRST: To furnish and install ornamental pressed steel and copper lighting posts with cast iron base and capital with concrete foundation, along certain streets, respectively, to wit:

Forty-four (44) of such posts on Badillo Avenue, from Baranca Street on the east, to Hollenbeck Street on the west; forty-six (46) of such posts on Citrus Avenue from a line sixteen and one-half (16½) feet south of and parallel with the north line of Sections 13 and 14 in Township One south, Range 10 West, S.B.M., on the north, to the south boundary of said City on the south, and four (4) of such posts on Navilla Place from Second Street on the east, to Citrus Avenue on the west, all of said posts to be located where shown on drawings hereinafter designated.

SECOND: To furnish and install metal conduits for wire connecting all of said posts and to furnish and install a metal conduit, connected with the aforesaid conduit, along the south line of an alley located one hundred seventy-five (175) feet north of College Street, from Citrus Avenue east one hundred fifty-five (155) feet, where shown on said drawings.

THIRD: To furnish and install on each of said lighting posts one (1) sixteen (16) inch glass globe of Cora Brand or its equal, with one (1) eight inch holder therefor, and one porcelain wall socket, one (1) sixty watt, bottom voltage 115, wire type Mazda tungsten lamp or its equal, and one double pole porcelain plug cut-out to take plug fuses, two (2) 2-Ampere plug fuses to be placed in each cut-out.

FOURTH: To furnish and install two (2) circuits of copper wiring extending through said conduits and posts and connecting said lamps with each other and ready for connecting with the electric lighting system of said City at a place designated on said drawings, to wit: on the south line of said alley one hundred and fifty-five (155) feet east of Citrus Avenue. All such lamps situated on street corners shall be connected by one of said circuits of wiring so that they may be controlled by one switch to be located at said place on the south line of said alley, and the remainder of such lamps shall be connected by one of said circuits of wiring so that they may be controlled by another switch to be located at the same place as the last mentioned switch.

FIFTH: To construct cast iron conduit boxes and cast iron junction boxes where shown on drawings hereinafter designated.

All of said work to be done in accordance with drawings and specifications for such work, to wit: Drawings numbered 2088 and 2089 which are on file in the office of the City Engineer of said City; and Specifications number 29 for the construction and installation of ornamental lighting system in the City of Covina, which are on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City; and said Drawings and said Specifications are hereby referred to for a more particular description of said work and improvement.

That said contemplated work and improvement in the opinion of said Board of Trustees is of more than local or ordinary public benefit, and said Board of Trustees hereby makes the expense of said work and improvement chargeable upon the following described district, which district said Board of Trustees hereby declares to be the district benefitted by said work and improvement and to be assessed to pay the costs and expenses thereof, to wit: Beginning at a point sixteen and one-half (16½) feet south of the north line of Section 13, Township One (1) south, Range 10 west, S.B.M., and three hundred and forty (340) feet east of the west line of said section; thence south and parallel with the west line of Citrus Avenue to the south line of an alley situated one hundred and seventy-five (175) feet north of Badillo Avenue; thence east and parallel with said Badillo Avenuee to Baranca Street; thence south along the west line of Baranca Street four hundred and sixteen (416) feet; thence west and parallel with Badillo Avenue to Second Street; thence south on the east line of Second Street eighteen (18) feet; thence west and parallel with said Badillo Avenue to a point two hundred and ninety-six (296) feet west of Second Street; thence south and parallel with Citrus Avenue to the South line of an alley situated one hundred seventy-five (175) feet north of Navilla Place; thence east and parallel with said Navilla Place to Second Street; thence south on the west line of Second Street to the south boundary of said City; thence west along the said south boundary of said City to a point three hundred and four (304) feet west of Citrus Avenue; thence north and parallel to the center line of Citrus Avenue to an alley situated one hundred and seventy-five (175) feet north of Center Street; thence west along the south side of said alley to Fourth Street; thence south along the east line of Fourth Street two (2) feet; thence west and parallel with Badillo avenue to Hollenbeck Street; thence north along the east line of Hollenbeck Street four hundred and fifty-four (454) feet; thence east and parallel with Badillo Avenue as designated on map of Phillips Tract in Book 9, Miscellaneous Records of Los Angeles County, California, to a point two hundred and ninety-seven (297) feet west of Citrus Avenue; thence north and parallel with Citrus Avenue to a point sixteen and one-half (16½) feet south of the north line of Section 14, Township One (1) south, Range 10 west, S.B.M.; thence east to the place of beginning; excepting therefrom all the public streets and alleys which may be included within said district.

Said Board of Trustees determines that serial bonds shall be issued to represent assessments of Twenty-five (25) Dollars or over for the cost of said work and improvement. Said serial bonds shall extend over the period ending nine (9) years from and after the second day of January next succeeding the date of said bonds, and an even annual proportion of the principal sum thereof shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January every year after their date until the whole is paid, and the interest shall be payable semi-annually by coupon on the second day of January and July respectively of each year at the rate of seven per cent per annum on all sums unpaid until the whole of said principal and interest is paid. Such bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California designated as "Improvement Act of 1911," approved April 7, 1911.

All proposals or bids offered shall be accompanied by a check payable to said City, certified by a responsible bank for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent of the aggregate of such proposals, or by a bond for said amount and so payable, signed by the bidder and two sureties, who shall justify before any officer competent to administer an oath in double the said amount and over and above all statutory exemptions.

Dated this 2nd day of May, 1914.

DAILEY S. STAFFORD,
City Clerk of said City.

5-2-9-16

ORDINANCE NO. 116.

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF COVINA CALLING A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD WITHIN SAID CITY ON TUESDAY, THE TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF JULY, 1914, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SAID CITY, AND PROVIDING FOR NOTICE THEREOF.

WHEREAS, the City of Covina did, on the thirteenth day of April, 1914, duly hold a General Municipal Election for the purpose of electing, among other officers of said city, two members of the Board of Trustees of said City;

AND WHEREAS, the returns of said election and the official canvass of the same show that only one such member of said Board of Trustees was elected, and that for the other such member of said Board two persons received and equal and the highest number of votes, whereby there was no choice for said office;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY OF COVINA DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1.—That a Special Election is hereby called and ordered to be held within the City of Covina, State of California, on Tuesday, the twenty-first day of July, 1914, for the purpose of electing a member of the Board of Trustees of said City of Covina.

Section 2.—For the purpose of said election the whole of said City of Covina shall constitute one consolidated precinct, and the polling place for said election shall be in the Woman's Club House, situated at the northwest corner of Citrus Avenue and Center Street in said city.

Section 3.—That the Board of Election to serve at said election is hereby appointed as follows:

INSPECTORS, Franklin E. Dudderar and Melvin G. Sigstad.
JUDGES, Arthur R. Evans and John J. Fitzgerald.
CLERKS, Charles S. Berry and Edward G. Adams.

Section 4.—The City Clerk shall cause the following notice of said election to be published in the three last successive issues, prior to said election, of the "Covina Argus," a newspaper published and circulated in said city and hereby designated for that purpose, and shall post a copy of the same in at least three public places within the City of Covina at least two weeks before the date of said election. Said notices shall be as follows, to-wit:

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that a special municipal election will be held in and for the City of Covina, State of California, on Tuesday the 21st day of July, 1914, for the purpose of electing a member of the Board of Trustees of said city.

The polling place of said election shall be in the Woman's Club House, situated at the northwest corner of Citrus Avenue and Center Street in said city and the polls will be open from six (6) o'clock a.m. to seven (7) o'clock p.m. The election board is as follows:

INSPECTORS, Franklin E. Dudderar and Melvin G. Sigstad.
JUDGES, Arthur R. Evans and John J. Fitzgerald.
CLERKS, Charles S. Berry and Edward G. Adams.

DAILEY S. STAFFORD,
City Clerk.

Section 5.—The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance and shall cause the same to be published once in the "Covina Argus," a weekly newspaper, published and circulated in said city and designated for that purpose.

Signed and approved this 28th day of April, 1914.

C. S. BEARDSLEY,
President of the Board of Trustees of the City of Covina.

I, Dailey S. Stafford, City Clerk of the City of Covina, State of California, do hereby certify: That the foregoing ordinance was duly passed by said Board of Trustees at a regular meeting thereof held on the 28th day of April, 1914, by the following vote:

Ayes: Beardsley, Wilson, Watts, Fabrick and Harris.
Noes: None.
Absent: None.

DAILEY S. STAFFORD,
(Seal) City Clerk.

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News of the Valley

CHARTER OAK.

Mrs. Dave Funk was removed to the Angelus hospital in Los Angeles this week, where she underwent an operation on Thursday.

Mrs. William Smith delightfully entertained the Five Hundred Club on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Mace entertained the following guests at a week-end house party: Mrs. Gauldin and son, Auburn, Miss Ellen Travis, Percy Myers, all of Los Angeles, and Frank Kropzer of San Diego.

Mr. Floyd Derrick of Newhall is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Mace.

Miss Sara Morris, Mrs. Mead and Mrs. Swords spent Monday in Los Angeles, Miss Morris remaining over the week with friends.

Floyd Dolcater of Los Angeles spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dolcater.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cook made a trip to Westgate to the home of the latter's parents, because of the serious illness of her father. Mrs. Cook has not yet returned home.

Miss Margaret Middleton and two friends from Los Angeles spent the week-end with Miss Margaret Middleton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H Middleton.

R. H. Middleton was called to Los Angeles on Thursday on business.

Dr. Lowe and son, Herbert, of Los Angeles were luncheon guests of R. H. Rowland and Dr. Myrtle Rowland on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hughes motored to Long Beach on Tuesday to spend the day.

Sunday guests of R. H. Rowland and Miss Rowland were: Mr. and Mrs. Orin Copeland and daughter, Hollis, and son, Lorin, and Miss Belle Pollock of Los Angeles.

IRWINDALE.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hurst are rejoicing over the birth of a son, the 26th of April.

A party who enjoyed Sunday at Camp Baldy was composed of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Herring and son, Wayne, and Mrs. Herring's mother, Mrs. Millar, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hotchkiss and family, Mrs. Charles Hotchkiss and daughter of Buffalo, New York, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Robbins and family, Miss Lola Perkins and Mr. Cottle.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speer, Mrs. A. L. Philleo, and Mr. C. Jones made a trip to Hesperia to spend several days. Mrs. Philleo visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Thomas. Mr. Speer has a large ranch that is being improved near Hesperia.

Mrs. Claire Ayers entertained on Saturday afternoon with a delightful "Little Women's" party in honor of the thirteenth birthday of her little daughter, Ada. The little girls came dressed as little women, with their dolls. Dainty refreshments were served to them during the afternoon. The little girls who enjoyed this party were: Marjorie Newton, Alice and Edith Maxson, Elva Hickox, Dorothy Jackley, Mildred Alexander and Arlene Hotchkiss.

The Parent-Teachers' Association is giving "Mr. Bob" at club this evening, with local ladies taking part.

WEST COVINA.

Mrs. William Sprotte entertained with an informal dinner on Sunday. Her guests were: Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Coffman, Miss Mae Coffman, Miss Hazel Clifford and Mr. Cozenpengager of Los Angeles.

Mrs. Earnest Jones of Claremont is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Heath, this week.

A party composed of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Harris and family, and John Edwards motored to Redondo and Torrance and spent the day on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wittenbrock spent Wednesday in Los Angeles on business.

Dick Von der Lohe, who underwent an operation at the German hospital about two weeks ago, was returned to his home and is improving nicely.

Miss Mary Stettnisch of Los Angeles was a guest on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Kranz.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Heath and Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Woodworth made a business and pleasure trip to Perris in Riverside county on Saturday.

Mrs. W. C. Woodworth spent Thursday in Los Angeles on business.

CITRUS FRUITS IN AUSTRALIA.

It is not perhaps generally a matter of knowledge that Australia is to be numbered amongst the world's producers of citrus fruits; and in view of the proposed extension of the California export shipments of oranges and lemons to Australia and New Zealand to be made possible by the transportation facilities induced by the opening of the Panama canal, the following figures are perhaps of interest:

Latest data on hand show that there are planted in Australia between 25,000 and 30,000 acres of citrus fruits, of which the majority are oranges. Of the states of the commonwealth New South Wales is by far the greatest citrus fruit growing state, over two-thirds of the entire acreage being there planted. Victoria, however, is increasing her acreage, and in 1912 over 600 acres of citrus fruits were planted in the northern part of that state. Of the total acreage in New South Wales over 17,500 acres were classed as being in bearing in 1912. The approximate citrus fruit acreage in Australia is as follows:

New South Wales	20,000 acres
South Australia	2,750 acres
Victoria	2,250 acres
Western Australia	1,250 acres

Of the above acreage probably 1000 acres are in lemons. The orange crop of New South Wales in 1912 was valued at nearly $1,000,000.

NOTHING NEW UNDER SUN, MOON, STARS—NOTHING NEW

(California Cultivator:) We occasionally look over the files of the California Cultivator of a score of years ago and are surprised at the similarity of material given to our readers then and now. Of course there are new articles by new men; they look at the work in hand from different angles made possible by discoveries of the past decade, yet the general principles touched upon are the same, and occasionally a subscriber accuses us of repeating the same old story. But we find that for some thousands of years "line upon line, precept upon precept" has been the way of educating children, and in the matter of education we are all children, we are all learners, and a bit of repetition does none of us harm. In fact it refreshes and helps our memories and the old stories make new impressions. Few of us learn our lessons too well.

FRAUDULENT LOCATION OF LAND PURCHASERS

PORTLAND, Ore., April 27.—Following the arrest in Seattle of D. E. Houston and Harry J. Harper Saturday night, charged with fraudulently locating purchasers on tracts in Oregon, it was learned today that fifteen secret indictments on the same charge were returned by the federal grand jury which adjourned two months ago. Houston and Harper were brought to Portland and are being held in the county jail.

The federal authorities were notified that S. L. Sperry, wealthy ranchman of Covina, Cal., was arrested in Los Angeles in connection with the same case.

U. S. District Attorney Reames admitted today that he was expecting important arrests in San Francisco.

S. L. Sperry, spoken of in this dispatch, is not known in the Covina valley.—Editor.

POMONA PHYSICIANS MEET AT HOSPITAL

POMONA, April 29.—One of the most enjoyable meetings of the Pomona Valley Medical Society this season was held this afternoon in Pomona Valley Hospital. There was an unusually large attendance. A paper of special merit entitled "Peptic "Ulcers,, was read by Dr. J. K. Swindt. Dr. Warner of Ontario was present and extended a cordial invitation to the society to meet with him on the next regular meeting date, which is the third Tuesday in the month. The invitation was accepted.

POMONA WONDERLAND OF FLOWERS IN 1915

POMONA, April 29.—A campaign has been started in Pomona in conjunction with the county to make this city a wonderland of flowers in 1915. Park Superintendent J. M. Paige has been selected by the county committee to visit all schools in this district and speak to the pupils on the proper care of roses and other flowers.

CONGRESS OF NURSES AT PANAMA EXPOSITION

Six thousand nurses, representative of fifteen nations, will meet in San Francisco June 1, 1915, upon the grounds of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, to attend an international congress of nurses.

BROOKLYN TABERNACLE
BIBLE STUDY ON THE PRODIGAL SON.

Luke 15:11-32—May 3.

"I will arise and go to my father, and will say unto him, Father, I have sinned against Heaven and in thy sight."—Verse 18.

THE setting of the parable of The Prodigal Son demonstrates the Master's object in giving it. He was seeking to show the Pharisees that their position respecting publicans and sinners was wrong. He here pointed out that this wrong attitude was likely to cost them their own share in the Kingdom.

In the parable the father evidently represents God; and the sons represent the two general classes into which the Jewish nation had divided itself. The elder son class were those who sat in Moses' seat, professed loyalty to God, and outwardly endeavored to keep His Law. The younger son class were those who had misused their privileges as beneficiaries of the Divine promises and wasted their opportunities in self-gratification.

This class of publicans and sinners felt their degradation, and longed to return to the Father's House. Spiritually ragged and hungry, they hesitated to go back. It was just such characters that Jesus especially encouraged to have confidence in the Father's willingness to receive those who came to Him penitently. The parable tells that some of this class returned to God, and because of their penitence were granted special manifestations of Divine favor.

Application of the Parable.

How grandly this parable illustrates the lengths, breadths, heights and depths of the Love of God! The best robe, shoes, etc., well represent God's provision through Christ for covering the imperfections of all who return to Him. The feast and the merry-making well illustrate God's blessed promises, applicable to those accepted into God's family through the begetting of the Holy Spirit. This is the Marriage Feast of another parable.—Matthew 22:2-14; Isaiah 25:6-8.

The Prodigal's Return.

The elder brother was indeed bidden to the feast; but he was angry and refused to come, jealous that the father should receive the young spendthrift. The elder brother class did not show the right spirit for those for whom the Kingdom privileges were intended, all of whom must be meek, gentle, loving—copies of God's dear Son in their generous good will toward all desirous of coming to the Father.

The Principle Applies Broadly.

While this parable illustrated the two classes of Jews, the principle set forth applies generally. In the world there are noble characters, well-born and apparently the very ones to be chosen of God to be joint-heirs with His Son in the Kingdom. Nevertheless, the Scriptures make clear that not many such will be of the Kingdom class. (1 Corinthians 1:26-29.) This better class, represented by the elder brother, seem to feel that in contrast with the lower strata they are perfection itself; and that God would surely desire them.

But all are sinners, whether they know it or not; and all should be honest enough to confess the fact. God requires this very honesty, this confession of our need, before Christ's merit can be imputed to us, covering our blemishes. God evidently wishes to have a class honest enough to acknowledge their own imperfections and unworthiness of His favors. Those who so confess He will bless with a knowledge of themselves and of His righteousness; whereas others, self-satisfied and unwilling to accept His grace in Christ or to confess their need of a covering for their blemishes, are not humble enough to be of the Kingdom class.

Not Many Rich, Noble or Wise.

Thus it comes that the majority of those who accept God's favor and become His children are from the younger brother class—not many rich, noble, learned or wise, but chiefly the poor of this world, rich in faith. They realize their wretched condition and their need of forgiveness and help; while frequently others who have lived more open lives do not recognize their need.

The Jealous Brother.

Perhaps no other parable has been so helpful to the poor and needy, the sinful and weak, who desire to return to the family of God. In this parable they see their own picture, and are encouraged. The Heavenly Father's character has been so misrepresented to them by the creeds of the Dark Ages that they fear Him and expect no kind reception from Him. As the proper thought of God's character reaches the poor and the depraved, they receive a suggestion of hope which assists many of them to a full return and surrender to the God of all grace.

The prodigal's declaration, "I will go to my father," represents what should be the attitude of all repentant ones—reliance upon the Heavenly Father's provision in Christ for forgiveness and their reception to His love and care, for their return to the fold and to harmony with God.

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Following a rumor circulated here yesterday, officials of the Santa Fe and Southern Pacific railroads denied that the companies had laid off Mexican track employees and workers of other departments, pending the settlement of complications between the United States and Mexico.

Yesterday at Colton, however, many track employees, said to have been working on the extra gangs, were discharged, but it is stated by the Southern Pacific men that their dismissal is the result of a slump in work and has nothing to do with the war situation. Lay-offs of this character have been made by both the Southern Pacific and Santa Fe in recent months.

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Argus Want Ads

For Sale, For Rent, Exchange, Lost, Found, Miscellaneous

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FOR SALE—A good Studebaker wagon, used only a few months, $65. One set of work harness in good condition, $25. The biggest little work horse in Covina—sound and clean and a dead down true puller. Transfer company has been working her; ask them. We took these things on an account and they will be sold to the first man with the money. Warner, Whitsel & Co. tf

FOR SALE—Going to quit. One-horse power gas engine spraying machine, with 100 gallon tank, 2 lines of hose, complete with truck, $125.00. One small team horses, $125. Spring wagon, $25. Spraying outfit only used one season—snap. Leonard Jackson, R.F.D. 1, Covina.

FOR SALE—
No quarantine on Tulare county trees—no need for any. We have a fine lot of seed-bed stock. Sweet and sour orange and grapefruit. The finest and cleanest one-year old stock to be found anyplace. Write for prices. Milnor & Howell, Orosi, Cal. tf

AUCTION SALE OF RESTAURANT at Iendora, known as King Restaurant, in Chance building. I will sell to the highest bidder on Monday, April 27th, at 3 p.m., at the above restaurant. Terms made known at time of sale. J. P. Garrison, Whittier, Cal.

FOR SALE—I have some very fine Valencia and Eureka lemon trees, 2 years old, which I will sell very cheap in large or small quantities. Buds selected from the best stock. B. W. Bouldin, Azusa, phone 11. 5-23

FOR SALE—5 passenger Studebaber. Everything complete and in first class condition. Will sacrifice for $400. Write or call 3607 Grand avenue, Los Angeles, or phone South 8372. 1t

FOR SALE—About 1500 "A1" one-year-old navel buds, 20 cts not on the ground, from ½ inch up. Valencias and lemons cheap. J. C. Johnson, 1028 N. Angeleno Ave., Azusa, Cal. 5-9

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FOR SALE—2-year-old lemon trees for reset, 75c each, and half-inch valencias, 50c each; absolutely good stock. Apply phone 628 tf

FOR SALE—All kinds of hay. C. W. Jones and G. H. Cleland, phone 682.

FOR SALE—Fine new barley hay in carload lots. C. O. Buller. Phone 109. tf

FOR SALE—Alfalfa hay, second cutting, $8 per ton in field. R. C. Speer, phone 681. tf

FOR SALE—300 Valencia trees. Can agree on price. Henry Anderson, Glendora, Cal. 5-2-p

FOR SALE—5 shares Covina Irrigating Co. stock. Phone 79. Geo. Jeffrey. 5-30-p

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred white leghorn hens, one year old. Phone 78. 1t

FOR SALE—Small house. Mrs. Sarah Aicholtz, Covina. 52p

FOR SALE—Gasoline engine, 3h.p. A1 condition. Phone 61. 5-2p

FOR SALE—Fine cobblestones, 25c per load. Phone 61. 5-2-p

FOR SALE—Sweet potato plants. M. E. Zug, Covina, phone 947. 5-2p

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WANTED—Some horses to pasture. Phone 119. tf.

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ANOTHER DARING BANK ROBBERY AT NORWALK

For fifty minutes three heavily armed lookouts kept virtually the entire male population of the hamlet of Norwalk at bay early yesterday morning while their two companions set off three charges of nitroglycerine in the vault doors of the Bank of Norwalk.

After an exchange of more than fifty shots fired by the robbers, citizens who had been aroused by the first explosion, an official of the bank, and a deputy sheriff, the casualties comprised one man wounded.

He is William H. Fairbanks, a surveyor in the employ of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, shot through the groin by the rear door lookout of the robber gang.

The two outer doors of the bank vault were badly smashed by two of the nitro-glycerine charges; the inner doors were opened by the third, but crowding time and the love of freedom conspired against the robbers in preventing them from opening the inner safe, inside the vault, which contained between $8000 and $10,000. The sum of about $30 in small silver and currency, which was in a locked drawer in the outer office, was untouched.

The robbers were heard in the little hamlet before ever they made their way into the bank.

D. W. Horst, cashier of the bank, who lives at the Sunnyside Inn, the only hotel, heard men breaking into the Bullock & Daveo blacksmith shop across the road at about 12:30 o'clock in the morning.

The ideas of tools and a bank robbery at once associated themselves in his mind. He heard men talking in low voices and making their way along the open street in the direction of the bank, about 100 yards along.

POWELL CORRECTS MISTAKE CONCERNING CROP REPORTS

G. Harold Powell, manager of the California Fruit Growers' Exchange, was in Covina on Monday, making an unofficial trip of inspection through the packing houses. He was the guest at lunch of Manager William Griswold of the Covina Fruit Exchange.

Mr. Powell said that he wished to correct a statement that appeared in Los Angeles papers to the effect that he had said that next year's crop would be from 55,000 to 60,000 carloads. He had made no such statement, he said, as no man could possibly estimate the crop so far ahead. His estimates of crops are based on the estimates furnished him from all the districts. He said that he made a statement to the effect that if this present year had been a normal one, the present crop would probably have been from 55,000 to 60,000 carloads.

SHIRLEY HUNTER WRITES AD COPY AT BATTLE FRONT

The Los Angeles Herald has the following about a former Covina man:

For the first time in history advertising "copy" was today written by an advertising manager at the scene of war.

This innovation was that of Sherley Hunter, advertising manager for the Frank B. Silverwood stores in Los Angeles.

Hunter conceived the idea of preparing "copy" from the front and immediately repaired to Calexico. There, flanked by American regulars and militia on one side and with the machine guns of the Mexican fort at Mexicali frowning upon him, he wrote of the style offerings at the two big Silverwood stores in this city.

AUTOMOBILISTS ATTENTION.

I have just received a shipment of Lock Faucets for Gasoline Storage Tanks. Price $1. W. S. Sides. 5-11p

Kleinmeyer Case

(Continued from First Page.)

stigation of McCarthy, and that on April 11, discovered that one of the animals was missing. He subsequently found the missing animal in Kleinmeyer's pasture. Zimmer said that the mare in the sheriff's care at Keefer's stable at the present time was the one which he found missing from the Chaffee pasture and afterwards located in the Kleinmeyer pasture.

Quite a little testimony was taken from Zimmer concerning the finding of a dead colt in the Chaffee pasture. None of the mares in the Chaffee pasture were with foal excepting the ones belonging to McCarthy, witness said. Under cross-examination by Attorney Rogers, witness said that he examined the dead colt and found no marks of violence upon the body, such as a bullet-hole, broken neck or broken leg.

The court adjourned at 4 o'clock until Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION.

At the convening of court yesterday morning A. C. Zimmer, the Chaffee ranch foreman, was again placed on the stand. His testimony related to his conversation with Kleinmeyer in connection with the finding by Zimmer of the dead colt, which is said to be the colt belonging to the mare figuring in the case. Zimmer said that, at the time the mare was placed in the Chaffee pasture, he (Zimmer) made some notations about scars and blemishes on the mare, and Attorney Rogers asked that these notes be brought into court.

Mr. McCarthy, Sr., father of the prosecuting witness, was called as a witness. He testified to being present at the time that photographs were taken of the mare. McCarthy related a conversation alleged to have been held with Kleinmeyer in which Kleinmeyer claimed that certain photographs had been "doctored," explaining that the pictures of the mare shown had a mane and tail plainly showing, and that these had been "grafted" onto the picture. This the senior McCarthy said was a statement made by Kleinmeyer.

McCarthy, senior, also testified to going with Mr. Zimmer to the Chaffee pasture, where he viewed the dead colt, which was at that time partially eaten by the wolves and vultures.

FOREMAN'S MEMORANDA.

Foreman Zimmer of the Chaffee ranch was called to the stand at the afternoon session and produced his "pasture book," with also memoranda of description of the mare in question. The memoranda related to scars and blemishes on the mare. Attorney Rogers interrogated Zimmer as to whether the memoranda was written all at one time, or if a portion of it might not have been filled in later. In the argument before the court Attorney Rogers maintained that some portions of the memoranda might have been written in afterwards.

Attorney Rogers in questioning Foreman Zimmer, asked him if he had ever called little Theodore Kleinmeyer a "horse thief" on occasions when the boy came to the Zimmer homestead after milk. Zimmer denied that any such language had been used. He also denied that he had called the little boy a "liar."

VETERINARY IS CALLED.

The defense then called Dr. John L. Tyler of Pomona, a veterinary surgeon. He said that he saw the mare on the 13th day of April, and that the mare then had a young colt, which was apparently about two weeks old.

He had seen the mare once since in Keefer's barn, and made an examination on Thursday morning of this week.

Attorney Rogers called the witness' attention to a large photograph of the mare, and Dr. Tyler said that the mare in the picture is not the mare now in Keefer's stable.

The mare in the picture, he said, has a "low neck, coarst head, not the same expression, dull, phlegmatic appearance of eye, full fore-top, full mane, and apparently full tail." The picture, he said, showed a blemish on side of right ankle, which is not c the mare at Keefer's stable. Animal in picture has large amount of dead hair, while mare in Keefer's stable has not dead hair. Witness said he based the difference on the fact that mare in picture has rough, coarst jaw and head, while the animal at the stable has a delicate jaw, almost like a road-horse.

The mare in the barn has had her mane trimmed, he said, but it must have been two months ago.

Attorney Rogers then attempted to introduce the pedigree of the mare, as sworn to in a stock certificate issued by the Percheron society. He said in argument that there were several mares on the Kleinmeyer ranch which were half-sisters, having been sired by the same stallion, and that these mares resemble each other to a remarkable degree. He wished to introduce the pedigree of the mare in order that her identity might be completely established.

Dr. Tyler proceeded to tell in detail of his examination of the mare and colt in the Keefer stables. He said that the colt was from four to five weeks old.

The hearing adjourned at 5 o'clock last night until 10:30 today.

Old-Time Legitimate Star Coming Soon

A powerful drama and detective story, played for the "Famous Players" by a star of the olden days, is to be seen at the Empress theater on Monday and Tuesday nights of the coming week.

Henry E. Dixey, the famous "legitimate" star, one of the foremost favorites of the American stage, distinguishes "Chelsea 7750" by his convincing characterization of an eminent, able and conscientious detective. The play sounds every depth of the underworld, discloses its secrets, its methods and emotions, and penetrates the intricate labyrinths of the submerged half. In a relentless pursuit of a trained and resourceful gang of counterfeiters, which later develops into an intense mental and physical contest, with many impending difficulties and heart-breaking disappointments, but which eventually culminates in a complete and decisive victory, Mr. Dixey is provided with one of the strongest parts which in all his versatile and extended career he has ever portrayed. Startling revelations, ingenious machinations, and overwhelming climaxes crowd fast in thrilling succession; and through it all the mystery and fascination of the world that lives under cover.

BALDWIN PARK CITIZENS POSTPONE BANQUET

Owing to the inclement weather, which threatened rain, the annual banquet of the Baldwin Park Chamber of Commerce was postponed from Thursday evening of this week to Thursday evening of the coming week.

"MR. BOB"

"Mr. Bob," a comedy in two acts, under the auspices of the Irwindale Parent-Teachers' Association. Irwindale Club House, May 2nd, Saturday. Admission 25c. 1tp

THIS WEEK'S RAINSTORM.

T. F. Griswold's gauge	.90
H. Temple's gauge	1.00
N. D. Mussey's gauge	.73

Mrs. Mabel Miller Klinger of Long Beach will be the week-end guest of Mrs. G. W. Dulin and will give several vocal selections at the entertainment given by the Irwindale Parent-Teachers' Association tonight at the Irwindale Club House. "Mr. Bob" will be presented.

Mrs. C. L. Hulce, accompanied by her nurse, Mrs. Ferguson, went to Los Angeles, where they will stay for awhile, hoping the change will improve the health of Mrs. Hulce.

The Dutch at Church.

Men still wear their hats in church in many parts of Holland. Moreover, smoking in church is not considered irreverent by the Dutch when service is not in progress, and the ministers themselves indulge in this practice. Altogether, according to a recent visitor, "the Dutchman has a very comfortable form of religion. You keep your hat on in church and that saves you many a chill; you talk freely and in your natural voice, not in a whisper; you have a neat housemaid in a white cap and apron (and nothing is more cleanly and charming than a Dutch servant maid) to show you to your seat or to offer you a chair; you have nice drab pews of painted deal all around you and a cheerful two decker pulpit above."

Slow Development in the Child.

Remembering that Balzac, Walter Scott, Daniel Webster and the great educator, Froebel, were counted as dullards in their youth, the importance of allowing certain minds a slow development is manifest. A child who at fourteen is learning numbers may at forty compose a great epic or discover a new element. Through kindergarten methods, manual training, physical and industrial exercise, dancing and military drill, the attention is arrested, the slumbering mind is roused, the wandering will be recalled.—Rheta Childe Dorr in the Century.

Some Are So by Nature.

A certain young man, who prided himself on a brusqueness that he mistook for wit, met an eminent, but touchy, sculptor at a studio supper.

"So you're the chap," he said, on being introduced, "that makes mud heads?"

"Not all of them," the sculptor replied, quietly.—Youth's Companion.

ONLY THREE WEEKS MORE IN REFUND CONTEST

Miss Bush is still scoring ahead of all other contestants, with the Epworth League close behind. There are only three weeks more in which to score and it is expected that there may be a change in the positions of some of those lower in the ladder. Following is the count for this week:

Visella Bush	1,410,254
Epworth League	1,213,493
Cecil Hibsch	519,733
Dorothy Adams	198,998
W. C. T. U.	125,953
Deborah Draper	93,335
Aid of Christian Church	10,556

It will also be noticed that little Miss Dorothy Adams has climbed ahead of the W.C.T.U. this week.

The places where these bargain checks can be secured are as follows:

Henry-Hall Hardware House, dealers in stoves, ranges, electric irons, and electric cooking devices.

Bush Brothers, Ford garage, dealers in auto supplies.

Empress theater, purveyors of first class motion pictures and vaudeville.

C. F. Clapp, drugs and tobacco.

J. L. Fryar, cigars and tobacco.

Park restaurant, Mr. and Mrs. Landram in charge, on Badillo street.

San Gabriel Milling Company, all kinds of feed for horses and cattle; also coal and wood.

F. H. Fabrick, plumbing supplies.

E. P. Hull, new and second hand furniture.

J. L. Shuey, cleaning and pressing.

Hartzell & Oakley, proprietors of the "Poinsettia" candy shop.

Hays Clothing Company, Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes.

Covina Argus Publishing Company, the "home newspaper."

CITRUS HOUSES ARE RUNNING FULL BLAST

POMONA, April 28.—It is estimated that there are 1200 cars of navel oranges still to be sent forward by the San Antonio exchange, which handles practically all of the fruit from the Pomona valley. All of the packing houses affiliated with the exchange are now running at full capacity, and the average number of cars being shipped out at this time is thirty-five.

The San Antonio Exchange expects to reach a total shipment of 4000 cars for the present season, and this will prove one of the banner years. Never in the history of the organization has the fruit been of better quality.

Up to the present time the Pomona Fruit Growers' Exchange has shipped to markets in the East about 500 cars of navel oranges. There are still about 390 carloads of fruit to be sent to the market.

D. G. Arbuthnot, manager of the Lordsburg-Laverne Orange Growers' Association, reports that to date that organization has shipped 360 cars of navels. It has 300 cars still to ship.

The shipments of oranges from the Indian Hill Citrus Union at North Pomona have been so far this season 314 cars of the navel fruit. A total of 300 cars remain to be shipped.

The College Heights Association, in Claremont, has sent 274 carloads of fruit to market. The shipments still to be made total about 275 cars.

AZUSA STILL STRUGGLING WITH SPEEDING QUESTION

The Azusa Pomotropic says that on Wednesday morning an article appeared in the pink sheet of the Los Angeles Times headed "Motor Cop Banished and Azusa Has Traffic Man." Following this was a rosy picture of the joys of joy riding through Azusa at will with no motor cop to worry about. A rap was taken at the cop and the former council for trying to run the city at the expense of motorists.

Several members of the new council when seen Wednesday disclaimed all knowledge of the possibility of such a move as represented by the Times. True, some of the council are dissatisfied with the present speed regulation, but none of those seen by the Pomotropic admitted they expected to do without a motor cop.

Thursday morning, one member of the council stated that he favored the appointment of a marshal who should also act as motor officer and patrol the dangerous parts of the boulevard, giving warning and making arrests when necessary. The office of superintendent of streets has heretofore been combined with that of marshal and with that amount of street improvement and work which has been done, that office has kept the marshal pretty busy. It was explained by the councilman that he wanted to separate these offices and concern the marshal only with the duties of his office.

NOTICE.

On and after May 15th positively no paper patterns exchanged. This rule will be absolutely adhered to.

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ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Columbia Land and Water Company, principal place of business, Covina, Covina Township, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the directors, held on the 6th day of April, 1914, an assessment of 10 dollars per share was levied upon the capital stock of the above-named corporation, payable immediately to the secretary, at the office of the company at Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Any stock upon which the assessment shall remain unpaid on the 9th day of May, 1914, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 30th day of May, 1914, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the company in Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising and expense of sale.

J. H. MATTHEWS, Secretary.
Covina, Cal., April 6th, 1914.

This assessment to be applied on partial payment of note due First National Bank, Covina.

DELINQUENT NOTICE.

Office of the La Puente Co-operative Water Company, principal place of business, Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

There are delinquent on the following described stock on account assessment, levied on the 14th day of March, 1914, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Name—	Shares	Amt.
Frank Swallow	9	$ 4.50
Thomas & Gowan	30	15.00
S. Kishima	6	3.00
J. Okamoto	15	7.50
Pacific Branch Women's Foreign Missionary Society M. E. Church	20	10.00
S. Walters	5	2.50
Peter Johnson	20	10.00

And in accordance with law, and an order of the board of directors, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary, will be sold at public auction at the office of the company in Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on the 11th day of May, 1914, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising and expense of sale.

B. M. GIVEN, Secretary.
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